

# **City of Santa Barbara** Planning Division

## HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION AGENDA

## AGENDA SCHEDULE IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS CANCELLATIONS OCCUR STAFF WILL NOTIFY APPLICANTS OF TIME CHANGES

Wednesday, April 23, 2014 David Gebhard Public Meeting Room: 630 Garden Street 1:30 P.M.

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HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION SUBMITTAL CHECKLIST		
(See El Pueblo Viejo District Guidelines & Design Review Submittal Requirements for Details)		
CONCEPT	Required	Master Application & Submittal Fee - (Location: 630 Garden Street)
REVIEW		Photographs - of the existing building (if any), adjacent structures, composite panoramic view of the site, surrounding areas &
		neighborhood streetscape - mounted or folded to no larger than an 8.5" x 14" photo display board.
		Plans - three sets of folded plans are required at the time of submittal & each time plans are revised.
		Vicinity Map and Project Tabulations - (Include on first sheet)
		Site Plan - drawn to scale showing the property boundaries, existing & proposed structures, building & area square footages, building
		height, areas to be demolished, parking, site topography, conceptual grading & retaining walls, & existing landscaping. Include footprints
		of adjacent structures.
		Exterior elevations - showing existing & proposed grading where applicable.
	Suggested	<u>Site Sections</u> - showing the relationship of the proposed building & grading where applicable.
		<u>Plans</u> - floor, roof, etc.
		Rough sketches are encouraged early in the process for initial design review to avoid pursuing incompatible proposals. However, more
		complete & thorough information is recommended to facilitate an efficient review of the project.
PROJECT	Required	Same as above with the following additions:
DESIGN		Plans - floor, roof, etc.
APPROVAL		Site Sections - showing the relationship of the proposed building & grading where applicable.
		Preliminary Landscape Plans - required for commercial & multi-family; single family projects where grading occurs. Preliminary planting
		plan with proposed trees & shrubs & plant list with names. Plans to include street parkway strips.
	Suggested	Color & Material Samples - to be mounted on a board no larger than 8.5" x 14" & detailed on all sets of plans.
		Exterior Details - windows, doors, eaves, railings, chimney caps, flashing, etc.
		Materials submitted for Project Design Approval form the basis for working drawings & must be complete & accurate.
FINAL &	Required	Same as above with the following additions:
CONSENT		Color & Material Samples - to be mounted on a board no larger than 8.5" x 14" and detailed on all sets of plans.
		<u>Cut Sheets</u> - exterior light fixtures and accessories where applicable.
		Exterior Details - windows, doors, eaves, railings, chimney caps, flashing, etc.
		Final Landscape Plans - landscape construction documents including planting,, irrigation plan and water conservation compliance.
		Consultant/Engineer Plans - electrical, mechanical, structural, & plumbing where applicable.

AGENDAS, MINUTES, REPORTS, PLANS & PUBLIC RECORD WRITINGS. Copies of all documents relating to agenda items are available for review at 630 Garden Street and agendas and minutes are posted online at <a href="https://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLC">www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLC</a>. If you have any questions or wish to review the plans, please contact Michelle Bedard, Historic Landmarks Commission (HLC) Planning Technician, at (805) 564-5470, extension 4551, or by email at <a href="mailto:MBedard@SantaBarbaraCA.gov">MBedard@SantaBarbaraCA.gov</a>. Office hours are 8:30 a. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday, and every other Friday. Please check our website under City Calendar to verify closure dates. Materials related to an item on this agenda submitted to the HLC after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Community Development Department located at 630 Garden Street, during normal business hours. Writings that are a public record under Government Code § 54957.5(a) and that relate to an agenda item for an open session of a regular meeting of the HLC and that are distributed to a majority of all of the members of the HLC during the meeting are available for public inspection by the door at the back of the David Gebhard Public Meeting Room, 630 Garden Street, Santa Barbara, CA.

PUBLIC COMMENT. The public has the opportunity to comment on any item on today's agenda. The Chair will announce when public testimony can be given for each item on the agenda. Speaker slips are available by the door and should be filled in and handed to the HLC Secretary (adjacent to the window) before the agenda item begins. Please indicate which item you would like to address on the speaker slip and, in your testimony, which portion of the project you will be addressing in your comments. Each speaker is allocated two minutes for public comment due to time constraints. Public comment submitted prior to the scheduled meeting, can be submitted via email to: <a href="https://document.nlm.nih.gov">HLCSecretary@SantaBarbaraCA.gov</a> or by mail to: City of Santa Barbara, Community Development Dept./Planning Div., P.O. Box 1990, Santa Barbara, CA 93102. Written public comment letters and emails received prior to the meeting are typically distributed to the HLC at their meeting.

STATE POLITICAL REFORM ACT SOLE PROPRIETOR ADVISORY. State law, in certain circumstances, allows an architect, engineer or a person in a related profession who is a "sole practitioner" to make informational presentation of drawings or submissions of an architectural, engineering, or similar nature to the same Board on which they are seated, if the practitioner does not advocate for the project. Full details regarding this exception are posted in the back of the David Gebhard Public Meeting Room and available at the Community Development Department located at 630 Garden Street, Santa Barbara, CA.

#### PLEASE BE ADVISED

The following advisories are generally also contained in the City's Historic Landmarks Commission General Design Guidelines and Meeting Procedures (HLC Guidelines). The specific HLC Guideline number related to each advisory is listed in parenthesis after each advisory. Applicants are encouraged to review the full version of the HLC Guidelines.

- The approximate time the project will be reviewed is listed to the left of each item. It is suggested that applicants arrive 15 minutes early. The agenda schedule is subject to change as cancellations occur. Staff will notify applicants of time changes. (3.2.2)
- The applicant's presence is required. If an applicant is not present, the item will be postponed indefinitely. If an applicant cancels or postpones an item without providing advance notice, the item will be postponed indefinitely and will not be placed on the following HLC agenda. In order to reschedule the item for review, a rescheduling fee will be paid and the applicant must fill out and file a Supplemental Application Form at 630 Garden Street (Community Development Department) in addition to submitting appropriate plans. (3.2.4)
- Substitution of plans is not allowed. If revised plans differing from the submittal sets are brought to the meeting, motions for Project Design Approval or Final Approval will be contingent upon staff review for code compliance. (3.2.4)
- Concept review comments are generally valid for one year. Per SMBC 22.22.180, a project design approval is valid for three years from the date of the approval unless a time extension has been granted or a building permit has been issued. Projects with a valid land use approval will also automatically extend the project design approval expiration date. (3.2.9) An HLC approval does not constitute a Zoning clearance or a Building and Safety Permit.

- All approvals made by the HLC are based on compliance with Municipal Code Chapter 22.22 and with adopted HLC guidelines. Decisions of the HLC may be appealed to the City Council. For further information on appeals, contact the Planning Division Staff or the City Clerk's office. Appeals must be in writing and must be filed with the City Clerk at City Hall, 735 Anacapa Street, within ten (10) calendar days of the meeting and which the Board took action or rendered its decision. (3.2.9)
- CEQA Guidelines §15183 Exemptions (Projects Consistent with General Plan). Under this California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines section, projects with new development (new nonresidential square footage or new residential units) qualify for an exemption from further environmental review documents if (1) They are consistent with the General Plan development density evaluated in the 2011 General Plan Program Environmental Impact Report, and (2) any potentially significant project-specific impacts are addressed through existing development standards. Section 15183 exemptions are determined by staff based on a preliminary environmental review process. A decision-maker CEQA finding is required for a Section 15183 exemption. City Council General Plan environmental findings remain applicable for the project.
- AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT: In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you
  need special assistance to gain access to, comment at, or participate in this meeting, please contact the HLC
  Commission Secretary at (805) 564-5470, extension 3310, or by email at <a href="https://hlc.secretary@SantaBarbaraCA.gov">https://hlc.secretary@SantaBarbaraCA.gov</a>. If
  possible, notification at least 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable
  arrangements in most cases.

### **LICENSING ADVISORY:**

The Business and Professions Code of the State of California and the Municipal Code of the City of Santa Barbara restrict preparation of plans for certain project types to licensed professionals. See HLC Guidelines 2.12 and 3.1.2C for specific information.

#### **NOTICE:**

- A. On Friday, April 18, 2014, at 4:00 P.M., this Agenda was duly posted on the indoor and outdoor bulletin boards at the Community Development Department, 630 Garden Street, and online at <a href="https://www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLC">www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLC</a>.
- B. This regular meeting of the Historic Landmarks Commission will be broadcast live on City TV-18, or on your computer at <a href="www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTV">www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/CityTV</a>. For a rebroadcast schedule, visit <a href="www.SantabarbaraCA.gov/CityTVProgramGuide">www.SantabarbaraCA.gov/CityTVProgramGuide</a>. An archived video copy of this meeting will be viewable the next business day on computers with high speed internet access by going to <a href="www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLCVideos">www.SantaBarbaraCA.gov/HLCVideos</a>.

## **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

### A. Public Comment:

Any member of the public may address the Historic Landmarks Commission for up to two minutes on any subject within their jurisdiction that is not scheduled on this agenda for a public discussion. The total time for this item is ten minutes. (Public comment for items scheduled on today's agenda will be taken at the time the item is heard.)

- B. Approval of the minutes of the Historic Landmarks Commission meeting of April 9, 2014.
- C. Consent Calendar.
- D. Announcements, requests by applicants for continuances and withdrawals, future agenda items, and appeals.
- E. Subcommittee Reports.

## **CONTINUED ITEM**

1. 1936 STATE ST C-2 Zone

(1:45) Assessor's Parcel Number: 025-372-001

Application Number: SGN2013-00142 Owner: Mobil Oil Corporation

Architect: Kirk Gradin
Business Name: 7-Eleven
Business Name: Subway

(Proposal for a new sign application for a proposed new building with two commercial tenants for a Subway and 7-Eleven store. Signage will include a total of 31.8 square feet, to include 16.5 square feet for the 7-Eleven, and 15.3 square feet for the Subway. The signage includes: a 9.8 square foot, externally-illuminated metal monument ground sign (Sign A), a 3.8 square foot wall sign with reverse illuminated channel letters (Sign B), a 3.2 square foot wall sign with reverse illuminated channel letters (Sign C), a 4.0 square foot externally-illuminated blade sign (Sign D), a 3.8 square foot wall sign with reverse illuminated channel letters (Sign E), a 3.2 square foot wall sign with reverse illuminated channel letters (Sign F), and a 4.0 square foot blade sign externally-illuminated (Sign G). The exterior building lighting was approved under the application approved by HLC (MST2011-00167).)

(The sign application was reviewed by the Sign Committee on April 9, 2014. The project was referred to HLC by Planning Staff to request a final determination of the monument sign (Sign A).)

# **PROJECT DESIGN REVIEW**

2. 920 SUMMIT RD A-2 Zone

(2:05) Assessor's Parcel Number: 015-211-009

Application Number: MST2005-00831

Owner: MCC BB Property, LLC

Applicant: Ty Warner Hotels and Resorts

Agent: Suzanne Elledge Planning and Permitting

Architect: David Van Hoy

Business Name: Montecito Country Club

(Proposals for renovations to the Montecito Country Club. This proposal has been reduced in scope to the following: facade improvements to the existing clubhouse; a new 5,746 square foot golf cart storage building; a new 702 square foot storage and maintenance building; modify parking lot; relocate pool; modify pool support building; add a pool pavilion, 365 square foot snack shop, 555 square foot pool equipment room, splash pool, lap pool, whirlpool; sand volleyball court, bocce ball court; new patios, and landscaping. The clubhouse structure is eligible for Structure of Merit status and will be reviewed by the Historic Landmarks Commission. The project includes major grading with 192,000 cubic yards of cut and fill for recontouring, and renovation of an existing 18-hole golf course. Significant tree removals (252), tree relocations (43), and new trees (725) are proposed, with a net gain of 479 additional trees. The project received Planning Commission approval on 9/10/09 (Resolution No. 035-09) for a Conditional Use Permit Amendment, Coastal Development Permit, and Development Plan Approval. Proposed development has been reduced by approximately 7,200 square feet from the approved project. The project involves the following Assessor Parcel Numbers: 015-300-001, 015-300-002, 015-300-003, 009-091-014, 009-091-019, 009-091-020, 009-151-006, 009-151-007, 015-211-009, 015-211-010, and 015-280-014.)

(Project Design Approval requested. Project requires Substantial Conformance Determination and requires compliance with Planning Commission Resolution No. 035-09. The project was last reviewed by HLC on January 15, 2014.)

## **HISTORIC STRUCTURES REPORT**

## 3. 2559 PUESTA DEL SOL E-1 Zone

(3:05) Assessor's Parcel Number: 023-271-003

Application Number: MST2014-00116

Owner: Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History

Applicant: Suzanne Elledge Planning and Permitting Services

Engineer: Flowers & Associates, Inc.

(Review of the Phase 2 Historic Structures Report prepared by Post/Hazeltine Associates.)

## **CONCEPT REVIEW - NEW ITEM: PUBLIC HEARING**

# 4. 2559 PUESTA DEL SOL E-1 Zone

(3:10) Assessor's Parcel Number: 023-271-003 Application Number: MST2014-00116

Owner: Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History

Applicant: Suzanne Elledge Planning and Permitting Services

Engineer: Flowers & Associates, Inc.

(Proposed Master Plan for the Santa Barbara Museum of Natural History to carry out the following improvements anticipated in the next 15 years: improved accessibility and ADA compliance; full renovations to the Marine Paleo Exhibit Hall and restrooms, including an 82 square foot addition; replacement of the butterfly exhibit; rehabilitation of Gould Hall; relocation of trash and recycling; new fencing; enhancements to existing outdoor activity areas; landscape improvements; native habitat restoration; mechanical equipment upgrades; and interior repairs to existing buildings. The project includes Planning Commission review and annexation of parcels 023-250-039, -066, and -068.)

(Comments only; project requires environmental assessment, Planning Commission and City Council review.)

SEE SEPARATE AGENDA FOR CONSENT ITEMS